

The City of Hopewell, Virginia

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**Shooting Investigation Underway in Hopewell **

[Hopewell, VA] – On Monday, July 4, 2022, around 4:15 P.M. officers responded to the area of Cedar Level Road and Wilmington Ave. for a report of a single vehicle accident resulting in the vehicle being struck by gunfire. The victim was traveling in a vehicle northbound on Cedar Level Rd. when a dark in color Volkswagen Sport Utility Vehicle approached from behind at a high rate of speed. The driver/offender in the Volkswagen Sport Utility Vehicle shot into the victim's vehicle while passing. The offender fled the area traveling northbound on Cedar Level Road. The victim did not sustain any injuries during the incident.

The Hopewell Police Department is requesting that any person(s) who may have any information to provide or who may have been in the area, to contact the Hopewell Criminal Investigations Unit at (804) 541-2284. Persons with information on this crime and who wish to remain anonymous may contact the Hopewell Prince George Crime solvers hotline in Hopewell at (804) 541-2202 or provide their tip using the P3tips mobile app.

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